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May 1, 1985

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: ROBERT C. MCFARLAND *RCM*
SUBJECT: Memorandum of Notification for Increase in
Authorized Funding Levels for Central America
Covert Action

Issue

Should you approve a CIA proposal to increase authorization levels for the Central America Covert Action Program from []

Facts

- CIA has submitted a Memorandum of Notification (MON) which is attached at Tab A. The MON requests an increase of \$4.5 million in the authorized level for the Central American Covert Action Program.

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- The Planning and Coordination Group (PCG) considered the MON at its March 7, 1985 meeting and recommended approval with certain revisions. The revisions related to clarifying the nature of CIA support to Honduran Government []
A revised MON was prepared and concurrence from all PCG principals has been received.

Discussion

- The MON proposes enhanced CIA support to []

Honduras

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-- The Vice President, Department of State, Joint Chiefs of Staff, Department of Defense and OMB concur with the MON as revised.

Recommendation

OK

No

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That you approve the MON authorizing an increase in the funding level for the Central America Covert Action Program from []

Attachments:

Tab A Memo of Notification
Tab B March 9, 1981 Presidential Finding

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